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1. All the recruits inducted in the fall of 1949 were to be subjected to special intelligence tests. On the basis of the results, the best qualified DM were to be selected for further training at NCO schools. Corresponding tests would be applied at these NCO schools to find qualified candidates for the reserve officer schools.

2. The results of the intelligence tests were turned over to the medical departments, which sent them to the selecting committees. These again forwarded the results to the X Section of the MNO (chief: Col Recin). The ultimate decision on the admission of candidates was, however, made not so much on the basis of the intelligence tests but with regard to the political background of the candidate concerned. An average of only 20 to 40 recruits were taken as candidates from 1,000 tested persons.

3. The recruiting Bureau of the Czechoslovakian Air Force (LVSCL - letecka vysetrovaci stanice cs. letectva) at No 1 Klecanova in Prague-Bejvice (0 51/L 78), postal address: Prague 197, post office box No 13 057, used a number of tests, treated as confidential for the examination of candidates. The tests, which are being forwarded in the Czech original, are comprised of the following records:

- IN-Test I (Intelligence Test) with instructions.
- IN-Test II (Intelligence Test) with directives

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- c. C-Test (Czech language test)
- d. PO-Test (Arithmetic)
- e. Directives for the use of the SE-Test (special qualifications) with the following sections:

TE (technics)

MA 1 (mathematics)

MA 2 (geometry and trigonometry)

FO (arithmetic)

- f. Directives for the use of the OR-Test (testing of reactions)

- 4. The following personnel of the Recruiting Bureau were known:

Head: LtCol Dr. Eduard Kudrnka, 35 years old, served in the Western armies, not a Communist.

Chief of the Psychological Department: Lt Col Josef MLS, 50 years old, not a Communist.

His deputy was Staff Capt Dr. Adenek Moravek, 36 years old, not a Communist.

Chief of the Dental Department: Lt Col Dr. Kraus, served in the Western armies.

Chief of the Ophthalmic Department: Lt Col Dr. Podskubka.

Chief of the X-Ray Department: Lt Col Dr. Hermann, served in the Western armies.

- 5. Seven other such psychological institutes which conducted intelligence and aptitude tests were scheduled to be set up by the fall of 1949, and more in the course of 1950.

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Comment:

The data on the psychological tests conducted by the Czechoslovakian Air Force Recruiting Center were furnished for the first time; therefore their correctness cannot be verified. The officers mentioned in para 4 are not known. The material mentioned in para 3 is forwarded in the Czech original.

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